

ACT FOR FORD CO.
for \$462,028.32 in
insurance suit.
Mo., June 27.—A jury
Lincoln County Circuit
morning returned a
\$462,028.32 in favor
Manufacturing Co.
Ill., which was su-
insurance companies. The
which was unanimous,
ed after three hours'
It represented the
of each policy sued
interest at 5 per
July 16, 1913.
one of the most fam-
insurance cases tried in
States, both as to
of the trial and the
evolved. Some of the
tried in Mexico, Mo.
plant at Vandalia was
by fire in March, 1913
its resulted from the
to collect insurance
to \$650,000.
is the sixth case tried
and the third to be
roy. Three were tried
the Fords getting a
each case. The case
trial 28 days, costing
county \$1,200.
trial room was crowded
three days of the trial,
insurance men and
attorneys from all
Missouri and Illinois
The trial was before
B. Woolfolk, Circuit
The Thirty-fifth Dis-
presided at the two
trials here. Upon a
division of Judge Wool-
45 cases were con-
case of this nature is
trial in the Audrain
Circuit Court at Mexico
The plaintiffs have
case that has gone to
WEDNES COMPANY
of the City Will Or-
Military Company
young men of the city
Lawaway's Feed store
ought to organize a
Company. This
be subject to no
the State or Federal
agents, and is merely for
of the young men
the ages of eighteen
have some insight into
training and discipline.
it will be made to in-
officers of the Missour-
Academy in the
to get them to aid
the men. This move-
started this morn-
M. J. Sannebeck,
Lawaway, William Arm-
Criswell, Harry
Garrett Barnes.
meeting will be held
clock Wednesday eve-
Lawaway's Feed Store
interested are urged to be
the Girl in Blue.
McQuitty, 54 years old,
rainer near Columbia,
here June 22 to buy
is the diary of the
at followed, as he re-
Detective Chief Al-
morning:
—Started out to pur-
s. Met a girl with a
blue shoes, blue
blue hat, and carrying
sack. Didn't buy any
that day.
—Started out to buy
the same girl. Had
plied him from home.
any steers.
—Started out to buy
the same girl in
to the Western Un-
\$100 telegraphed
told to come back.
to the Woodford Hotel
en stopping. Was ar-
rested by detectives. Did
any steers.
McQuitty appeared at
raph office yesterday
00 clerks there, who
his previous visits,
ought to be looked
notified the police.
es were sent with
when he left head-
with instructions to
the bought his steers
caught a train home.
is Post-Dispatch.
McCreery Resigns.
McCreery, who was
in Manual Arts at
High School last year,
ected, but has resign-
some assistant in Man-
at the University next

The Robert Graves Co.
Manufacturers of
FINE WALL PAPER
NEW YORK

June 21, 1916.

To the Trade:

The enormous increased cost of all materials entering into the manufacture of our goods renders it necessary to advance our prices 25 per cent on and after July 1st.

respectfully,
The Robert Graves Co.

Regarding this notice, we beg to announce that inasmuch as our large and complete stock of Wall Paper was bought last fall, before any previous price advances, we have not as yet made any advances in our prices—but as our stock on certain grades becomes exhausted—and having to re-order, we, in turn, will be forced to advance our prices.

If you need Wall Paper, or expect to need any soon—we strongly advise you to buy now, while we are still giving the OLD PRICES.

W. L. Craddock & Son
Interior Decorations and Window Shades

NEW YORK TODAY
By MITCHELL WHITE

New York City, June 22, 1916

While it is undeniable that "Mexico is growing more like New York every day" we still have some distance to go in achieving a perfect similarity. Our leisure, aside from those whose apparent duty it is to guard carefully the stores in the rear of some of our stores and in the summer aid the law of gravitation in maintaining the equilibrium of certain structures is negligible matter. We may not have the tall buildings, but judging from the story of a certain local veteran who recalls how he telephoned Leo for re-inforcements in '61 before Mr. Bell had completed his invention, we evidently have just as tall liars.

The subway as East Lake is not as long but fully as dangerous as the New York underground but why offer comparisons. Someone has said they are odious. So, rather than have America's greatest city up any further I will give you a few figures as an estimate of what Mexico will have to do to complete our growing image of New York.

Every four years New York takes upon itself a city the size of Boston, or St. Louis.

New York is the largest Jewish City in the world. It is the largest Irish city, there being 414,721 of Irish blood here. There are 723,333 Germans, 306,422 Austrians and 735,477 Russians.

New York spent last year \$724,662,455.06, which was \$4,000 more than its income.

The debt is \$1,361,483,821, greater by more than 250 million dollars than the debt of the United States and six times the combined debt of Chicago, Philadelphia and Chicago.

Every day 290,000 persons arrive or depart from the city through the railway station.

Every thirty minutes a new business corporation is formed in New York and every forty-five minutes one is dissolved.

Every four minutes a new being is born, to have the proud distinction of being a native New Yorker. Babies to the number of 150,000 were born here last year.

N. Y. has 38,000 factories. They employ capital amounting to \$1,890,000,000 and turn out \$2,900,000,000 worth of goods a year.

More than twenty-one per cent of the Nation's banking resources are here. The banks have a capital of \$216,157,000 and deposits of \$5,777,461,797.

There are 250 theatres and six hundred smaller places of amusement. There are 1,525 churches, with 1,700,241 communicants. The schools have 802,573 pupils and 20,063 teachers. There are 102 hospitals with 21,858 eds.

AN ECHO FROM THE WAR ZONE
By MITCHELL WHITE

New York, June 24.—I saw the 69th Regiment of New York National Guard, 1,100 strong, march up Fifth Avenue, this morning to entrain. The street was lined with men and women waving handkerchiefs and flags. Two blocks from where I stood and as I watched the troops, there was a terrific explosion. A defective compressed air pipe in a street excavation burst, killing and injuring six and endangering 150 other workers. The panoplied enthusiasm of war and sanguine sorrows of peace.

I used to think the church women of Mexico could raise more money for a good cause than any others in the world. But I erred. The society and stage women of New York, with their allied bazaar, raised over \$1,200,000 for the war sufferers. I attended it last night and it filled three floors of the Grand Central Palace, a building which occupied a full city block. Mary Pickford was one of the score or more of notables present. I tried to meet Mary, but I might as well have attempted to see the North Pole in a Palm Beach suit and Panama hat.

There wasn't a chance. She was the center of a knot of admirers, each one fighting the other to get near enough to purchase one of the articles she was selling.

The French Government had sent a display from the battlefields. It took the story of the war as no pen or picture can. The shattered and riddled carriages of the "75's," the bullet and shell torn aeroplanes, the blood stained and muddy helmets, the crushed and battered engines from aircraft, whose heroic drivers were killed in the clouds, were forgotten when you came upon the British soldier, blinded in battle, who was seeking aid from his fellow sufferers. Here you were almost close enough to hear the rumble of the guns — and the cries of the dying. That parade of the 69th this morning, coming immediately following my visit to the display of what war is, how to make it and the effect, caused the spectacle to lose most of the thrill it once had for me. War is like the girl in Broadway's newest and most popular song, "A Dog-gone Dangerous Thing."

Miss Hazel McIntyre is home from Martinsburg, where she has been visiting with Miss Aleta French.

Miss Lillian Hulen, of Columbia, is visiting in this city with friends.

Tom Northern, an old Mexico boy, was in Mexico shaking hands with friends and relatives this week.

Miss Ana Hammitt, of Ladonia, was visiting in this city Tuesday.

This May Happen to You

An open feed box was discovered by a hungry horse. Most of the oats it contained were eaten. The horse died. A Check protected the owner from loss.

I represent the Insurance Company which paid the Check.

You can have a Check too by seeing me before it is too late.

THE COST IS SMALL THE PROTECTION GREAT

W. F. Atkinson
Insurance Broker

Kemper Building Mexico, Missouri

MARTINSBURG.
Misses Hazel McIntyre and Naomi Jones, of Mexico, spent Sunday with Miss Aleta French — Dr. H. A. Jacobi and wife returned to their home in Ferguson Sunday, after a pleasant visit with the Jacobi family. — Mrs. H. F. Newton, of De Soto, Mo., is here for a visit with her relatives. — Mr. and Mrs. Sam Moser and family spent Sunday in Wellsville with George Goulee and family. — Herman Christrup, of Ladonia, visited friends in town Sunday. — R. W. Taylor and Frank Bertles went to St. Louis Saturday. — N. M. Friedman and C. T. Peyton attended the Elks' Convention in Moberly Thursday. — Mrs. Lucy Krieger is home from a visit in St. Louis with her daughter, Mrs. Theron Enright. — Mr. and Mrs. Ed Larimore of Wellsville were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Lansing Sunday. — Miss Ana Hahn, who has been the guest of friends here for several weeks, returned to her home in St. Louis Monday. — Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Blanchfield and Misses Elizabeth and Mayme Holterman and Mayme Pinhole and J. J. Pinhole motored to Mexico Monday. — Miss Ruth Peyton has gone to Wellsville for a few days visit with Miss Hermena Wise. — Henry Buecher is visiting relatives in St. Louis this week. — Miss Emory Wilburn, of St. Louis, is spending this week with her aunt, Mrs. M. A. Lewis. — R. D. Burdard is in St. Louis on business. — Hubert Williams, of Wellsville, spent Saturday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Williams. — Thomas Leonard, of St. Louis, was the guest of Miss Emma Foltz Sunday. — Miss Pauline Blades, of Montgomery City, was in town on business the first of the week. — The following from here attended the St. John's exercises in Wellsville Friday: W. P. Moser and family, Forest Tate and family, H. Noel, Tom Noel, Price Hale, N. D. Martin, J. N. Stephens and family, Mrs. C. T. Peyton and Miss Ruth and Miss Minnie Pike. — John Ludwig, of St. Louis, is here for a few days visit to friends.

YOUNGS CREEK.
Preaching at Olivet last Sunday morning and night by the pastor, Rev. Neighbors. Sunday morning he preached on "Faith." — A good many from this neighborhood attended the children's exercises at Sunrise last Sunday and they say the exercises were good. The house was beautifully decorated, and they had a bountiful supply of dinner. The sermon was preached by the pastor, in the afternoon. — Otto Carpenter and family, Lec Carpenter and family, and Claude Callaway were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rudasill last Sunday. — Monroe Gorrel and little son, Lester, were at G. T. Schieffer's Sunday. — J. E. Mundy called to see G. T. Schieffer Monday. — Marion Barnes, of Mexico, is visiting relatives on the creek. — Robert Miller and daughters were in Mexico shopping Monday. — M. Bybee, of Santa Fe, bought a lot of sheep of Johnnie Ellis this week, delivered at Molino. — Mrs. Wm. Walton and daughters, of Fort Worth, Texas, are visiting in Mexico.

ROWENA.
Mrs. J. E. Love has returned from Ladonia, where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Foster. — A. P. Yager and family and F. W. Tawney and family spent Sunday with C. J. Tazney and family. — Ollie May Yager is spending the week at A. P. Yager's. — Mrs. T. J. Rowe celebrated her birthday on Sunday when all of her children were present. — W. Beamer and family spent Sunday with Elver Beamer and family. — Dr. Houf and family went to Callaway County Tuesday to visit his father. — Mrs. Mary Armontrout spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. J. F. Beamer. — Dr. Kirkland, who has been on the sick list, is improving some.

Wash Day Sale.
Friday and Saturday. Extra heavy large size tin wash boiler with 16 oz. copper bottom (not the kind you can stick your finger through), also 5 dozen clothes pins, 75-ft. clothes line and a dandy good maple clothes stick, all for \$1.45.

L. ROY FERRIS.

Fly Swatters Free.
Call at mill office and get a Daisy Fly Swatter free. Wm. Pollock Mill & Elev. Co. d-w1

Mrs. S. C. Adams and daughter, Miss Alice, returned to their home in Huntsville Tuesday, after a visit with Mrs. Adams' brother, Earl Brown.

Miss Pauline Van Ness is visiting with Miss Elizabeth Hughes in Montgomery.

James Culbertson is reported much better.

SANTA FE.
Henry Iman returned home Wednesday after a visit with his brother, John, of Auxvasse. — Mrs. D. L. Pilcher was a Mexico visitor Friday.

R. A. Hanger and wife, Mrs. R. L. Purvis, Misses Mary Wilson and Gertrude Davis motored to Perry Wednesday evening and attended the Christian Endeavor Convention. — C. M. Paris purchased a new old car Wednesday. — Miss Effie Drake visited friends in Perry the latter part of the week and attended the Christian Endeavor Convention. — W. H. Vanlandingham visited in Mexico Friday. — Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Stephens and family returned home Saturday after a week's visit with Mr. Stephens' daughter, Mrs. Geo. Willingham, of St. Louis. — Mrs. R. L. Purvis was a Mexico visitor Saturday. — J. N. Bailey, wife and children of Mexico visited relatives here Sunday. — Miss Edna Shearman visited at home Saturday and Sunday. — Miss Melvina Towson, of Mexico, is visiting Miss Philena Platzer. — Rev. Dunkleberger filled his regular appointment at the Christian Church Sunday morning and evening. — Thursday evening at Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Smiley and daughter, Margaret, were returning from the field, where Mr. Smiley had been at work, the wagon, in crossing a deep branch, was overturned and the occupants thrown out. The wagon ran over Mrs. Smiley breaking two ribs and inflicting severe bruises. Mr. Smiley escaped severe injury and Margaret was unhurt. Mrs. Smiley has been confined to her bed ever since the accident, but is doing as well as may be expected. — Miss Clara Sterrett spent Sunday night with Miss Mary Wilson. — Misses Mattie Bess Shearman and Gertrude Sharp departed Sunday afternoon for Shelbyville where they will attend the Epworth League Convention. — Misses Clara Sterrett, Ada and Nell Wilson, accompanied by R. A. Hanger, morning where they will attend the Annual Epworth League Convention. — Miss Lizzie Hunt spent Monday with Mrs. Mahan. — Misses Philonea Platzer and Melvina Towson spent Monday with Miss Sylvia Briford. — J. R. Smiley and wife were Mexico visitors Monday. — Mr. Rosell Haskell was visiting friends here Sunday.

PROOF FROM FULTON
Citizens Speak Out Publicly

In Fulton we find that people are praising Doan's Kidney Pills as highly as here in Mexico being so near by, the statement of a Fulton resident of particular interest. Mexico people do well to profit by Mr. Fowler's experience.

R. H. Fowler, 105 W. Seventh St., Fulton, Mo., says: "I have known of DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS for three years, having used them for a case of kidney trouble and backache. They gave me relief. Doan's Kidney Pills are reliable and have my endorsement."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy — get Doan's Kidney Pills — the same that Mr. Fowler had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y. Adv.

Compare Our Prices.
We have in our window a large assortment of No. 1 good gray granite ware. Dippers 5c, funnels 3c, basting spoon 3c, 2 1/2 qt. stew pan 9c, soap dish 5c, good size pudding pan 5c, and other articles too numerous to mention. d2t-w1t

L. ROY FERRIS

Balloon Ascension.
Fourth of July at 9:30 in the morning. Follow it and get \$1 worth of fireworks FREE at The Enterprise Store.

Tom Bruce was in Molino on business Tuesday.

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T. L. MARSHALL
Ticket Agent

NEWLYWEDS INITIATED
Leo Ritter and Roy Harris Are Surprised by Friends.

Leo Ritter and Roy Harris, two of Mexico's newlyweds, were given a surprise Tuesday night when a number of their friends took them out for initiation. Mr. and Mrs. Harris were making a pleasant call with Mr. and Mrs. Ritter, when the young grooms were called to the door seized and taken for a march, auto ride, and later an unexpected feast up town. Their wives were compelled to stay behind in mortal terror. After two hours they were returned home safely and a pleasant visit made with them. Those in the party were Orlando Worrell, Halley Bradford, Donald Addis, Ray and Lester Miller, Charles Guthrie, Gid Powell, William Gool-dy, Nesbit Livingston, Fred Peck, and Wallace Feutz.

AUXVASSE.
Fred Roberts shipped a load of sheep Monday. — Obie Wright sold five Ford cars the past week. The purchases were: Will Scholl, Will Yates, Horace McClintic, Tom Heite, Harry Brown. — Harris Wells shipped two car loads of lambs to St. Louis Tuesday. — Miss Tyler, of near Fulton, is visiting at the home of her brother here. — Mr. Herring, of Buncheon, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Walter Harrison, north of town. — Katie Wood will spend most of the summer in Wisconsin. — The lawn party at the Woodson home Tuesday night was largely attended, everyone being welcome. — Mrs. John Taylor entertained the Tuesday Club this night in honor of her sister, Miss Richards, of Palmyra, whom she will accompany home the last of the week. — Judge Harris granted a divorce the past week to Mrs. Kate Carlyle Holland and \$20 support for their 3 children. — Mrs. Bell Young is home from Yorktown, S. D., for the summer, but will resume her duties as matron of the ladies' college there in the fall. — Little Roy Holland, the eighteen-months' old son of Mrs. Jake Holland, fell and broke his leg Tuesday. — Mrs. E. B. Campbell is with her father who is still very ill. — Several from here attended the Junior Endeavor Convention in Fulton Saturday. — Ed Brett, well known horse dealer, and wife, are re-joining over the arrival of a fine boy Saturday morning. — Due to rain Friday the crowd of picnic youngsters took their eats at the home of Edgar French, but they enjoyed it picnic-fashion just the same. — Clifford Overfelt is spending his vacation with his parents. — Visitors numbering near the hundreds enjoyed the old-time open air gathering at Hatton Saturday night. — E. J. Bruton spent a short time here Saturday, en route to Guthrie to spend Sunday with his parents. — Jno. Sheeley and mother are visiting Mervin Sheeley and family. — Sherman Lewis and wife went to Nevada to see their son who is one of the National Guards from Columbia. — Mrs. John Bogel came in from Oklahoma this week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Henderson.

MISS HOLLIDAY DEAD
Former Resident of Mexico Dies at Phoenix, Arizona.

News was received here Wednesday afternoon of the death of Miss Cissie Holliday, formerly of this city, at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Webster, in Phoenix, Arizona, at ten o'clock Wednesday morning.

Her death was caused by a complication of diseases. The funeral will be held in this city Thursday morning at 6 o'clock. Miss Holliday was a former resident of Mexico, having been connected with Phillip's Store at one time. Before her connection with that store she conducted a dress making establishment in Mexico.

Luckie Holliday, a brother of Miss Holliday, lives near Mexico.

Post Office Hours, July 4th.
All departments open from 8:30 to 9:30 a. m.

City carriers will make complete morning delivery and collection trip, business and residence districts.

Rural carriers will not serve route this date. Rural patrons will be served at rural window opening hours.

Night collection from business district at 8 p. m.

W. R. Jackson, P. M.

Mrs. M. O. Keyes Dead.
Mrs. M. O. Keyes died Monday morning at the family residence, 107 East McCarty St., Jefferson City, Mo., after a long illness. Mrs. Keyes had been in poor health for several years. The deceased was the wife of Milo Keyes, formerly conductor on the Jefferson City branch.

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IT is wrong to put all your money down your throat, or on your back, or in useless luxurious pleasures.

Enough for necessities, enough for pleasures and the balance in your savings account is the right way to divide your income.

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COUNCIL PASSES VEHICLE TAX ORDINANCE-AMENDED
Will Have Tax of One Dollar and Fifty Cents on Horse Drawn Vehicles—\$3 on Autos.

ALL MEMBERS PRESENT
Action of County Court in Matter of Oiling Boulevard Approved by Body.

The City Council met in regular session Monday night, with Mayor Harrison presiding and all Councilmen present.

A protest against paving the alley in Block 9, Original Mexico, signed by the First Baptist Church, O. O. Green, pastor; by E. A. Shanon, for the Board of Deacons; C. A. Rothwell, Mrs. Lula Pilcher, Mark Pilcher, and Theo. H. Winans, was filed. Mr. Johnson moved the protest be referred to a committee. It was referred by the Mayor to the Street and Alley Committee.

A petition from C. B. Luckie to have the weeds on the vacant lots near his home cut was received and the City Marshall ordered to notify the owners of the lots to cut the weeds.

A petition for the extension of the water main on North Washington Street, signed by F. M. Shoush, Sam Morris, E. W. Kent, L. M. White, J. F. Llewellyn, President of the Library Board; S. E. Garrett, W. E. Crockett, Mrs. D. L. Mattis, Mrs. G. L. Ferris and Mrs. C. T. Etheridge, was filed. On motion of Mr. Ballew it was decided that Dr. Shoush and other property owners should take the matter of the extension up with the Power Company.

The report of the Street Commissioner was read and approved.

Mr. Hook moved that the matter of moving the house on the Carroll property on Missouri Avenue be deferred until Mrs. Carroll should return to Mexico. The motion was passed.

Judge Williams reported bills to the amount of \$203.68, which were allowed on motion.

H. E. C. Tucker, Sam Morris and George Walker were granted permission to build four foot walks along their property.

The report of the Street and Alley Committee on the walk along the property of Clarence A. Barnes was adopted on the motion of Mr. Ballew.

Mr. Lewis' ordinance to pay license on vehicles was given its third reading. Mr. Johnson moved to amend it by making the tax on horse-drawn vehicles \$2.00 and on all automobiles \$3; this amendment was defeated. Mr. Wood then moved to amend the ordinance by making the tax \$1.50 on horse-drawn vehicles and \$3.00 on all automobiles. Mr. Wood then moved its passage as amended and the ordinance was passed, as amended, by a vote of six to two. Councilmen Armstrong, Ball, Ballew, Eller, Hook and Wood voting yes, and Councilmen Johnson and Lewis voting no.

Mr. Johnson then moved that the Council approve of the action of the County Court in reference to oiling the Boulevard. The motion was carried.

On motion of Mr. Lewis the Council adjourned.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sanford, of Ames, Iowa, are visiting Mexico friends and relatives.

ELKS CABARET BEGINS REHEARSAL FOR FOURTH
Entertainment Promises to Be Greatest of Kind Ever Given in Mexico.

MUSIC FROM BROADWAY
Dancing Act by BryanKelso and Miss Taylor Will Be a Feature—Six Other Acts.

The Elks' Cabaret performers held a very successful rehearsal Tuesday night, and this feature of the Elks' July 4 entertainment promises to be the greatest treat of its kind that Mexico has had for years. The musical numbers used in this performance are right off Broadway, New York, but the committee is not in a position to give out the entire program at this time, as several of the musical numbers have been ordered from New York by wire and will not arrive until Thursday.

However, among the many good acts, will be a dancing act by Bryan Kelso and Miss Wilhelmina Taylor, Mexico's favorite artists. This act, together with its song, is direct from the Knickerbocker Roof Garden, New York, and has called forth much favorable comment from the metropolitan press.

There will be six other big acts, including the newest song hits, which should bring equally as much admiration. Rehearsals will continue every night this week.

Revival at Bethlehem.
The Bethlehem Baptist Church, 14 miles northwest of Mexico, will hold revival services, commencing next Sunday, July 2nd, at 10:00 a. m. The church grounds have been prepared to accommodate all who care to come, and camp out during the meetings.

The services will be conducted under a large tent, seating 800 people. There will be at least two Sundays in which there will be old fashioned basket dinners. Dr. Sutton, the famous evangelist, will do the preaching. Dr. Sutton is one of the most unique and satisfactory preachers of our times. He can hold any crowd, and holding, help. A feature of the meetings will be the stirring singing directed by Prof. Thomas, of Detroit, Mich.

The church and neighborhood extends a hearty invitation to all to come and enjoy this old-time revival meeting.

More Drumsticks.
Hoxsey & Sonnen have on display in the window of their garage a chicken with two extra drumsticks, and it is about frying size, too.

Should this freak of nature be able to transmit its characteristics to its offspring it will mark the beginning of the millennium for all epicurians of Mexico and vicinity. Just think of it—two extra drumsticks with every fried chicken.

It has been said that the chicken is one of a large flock of the same kind, whose owner is making a specialty of that breed of fowls, because of his fondness for the delectable drumstick.

M. J. Corbet, of St. Joseph, was here Tuesday buying some horses.